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EVERY-ONE HAS THEIR OWN REASON FOR BE-COMING A KILLER.
SOME DO IT FOR MONEY AND FOR THEM KILLING IS JUST A JOB. SOME ENJOY THE SENSATION OF STABBING THEIR VICTIMS IN THE OR-GANS AND HEARING THEM SCREAM IN PAIN.
ON THE OTHER HAND, SOME CONSIDER THEMSELVES MESSEN-GERS OF JUSTICE AND THINK THAT THEY ARE DOING A FAVOUR TO THE SOCIETY BY ELIMINATING THE TRASH. AND THERE ARE EVEN MORE KILLERS THAT DON'T KNOW WHY THEY DECIDED TO WALK DOWN THIS PATH IN THE FIRST PLACE, BUT THEY DO UNDERSTAND THAT THEY ARE UNABLE TO STOP UNTIL THEY MEET THEIR DESIGNATED CONDITION
CONDI-TION?
TO BE A KILLER YOU MUST ALSO DECIDE ON A WAY TO LEAVE THE KILLER PROFESSION. AND WE CALL THIS THE CONDITION

FOR EXAMPLE, YOU CAN SET YOUR CONDITION TO BE: IF YOU GET MARRIED, ONE DAY YOU CAN QUIT BEING A KILLER, NO STRINGS ATTACHED
YOU MUST THINK ABOUT THIS SERIOUSLY BEFORE STARTING, BECAUSE AFTER THAT, YOU WILL NOT BE ABLE TO QUIT UNLESS YOU MEET THE CRITERION OF YOUR OWN CONDITION, OR DIE DURING A MISSION
WHY?
THROW THIS
BUT UNTIL YOU GET MARRIED, YOU WILL HAVE TO KEEP ON RECEIVING MY PHONE CALLS. THAT'S HOW IT WORKS
WHEN THAT HAPPENS, NO ONE CAN FORCE YOU TO CONTINUE AND I WILL, OF COURSE, COMPLETELY DELETE YOUR CONTACT DETAILS FROM MY PHONE
.....
JUST DO AS YOU'RE TOLD, IF YOU WANT TO BE A KILLER
OK

?!
DON'T LOOK AWAY
.....
CONDITION 2. COMPLETE THIS TASK BEFORE 11 TONIGHT
呼
CONDITION 1. KILL HER.
CONDITION 3. DON'T LET ANYONE SEE YOU IF SOMEONE RUNS INTO YOU DISPOSE OF THEM AS WELL. YOU WILL NOT BE PAID EXTRA FOR THAT
IF YOU GET THROUGH UNSCATHED, REMEMBER TO KEEP AN EYE OUT FOR THE ITEM SENT THROUGH YOUR DOOR SLIT TONIGHT. YOU ARE QUALIFIED WHEN YOU RECEIVE THAT ITEM
.....
Tap

GRABS-
THAT BASTARD, HE REALLY THINKS HE'S IMMOR-TAL.
旺角站
Mong Kok
B1

THERE SEEMS TO BE NO LIGHT INSIDE. DOES SHE LIVE ALONE?

COME, LET THE LEGEND OF Mr. NeverDie! BEGIN!
THIS IS MY FIRST KILLING ASSIGN-MENT.....
OR HAS HER FAMILY NOT RE-TURNED YET?
WHAT-EVER, THIS IS A NICE CHANCE FOR ME!
咱
咱!

啪!
DAMN IT! THOSE MOVIES ARE JUST DECEIVING! JET LI, JACKIE CHAN, DONNIE YEN AND WU JING ARE JUST FRAUDS!
?!
THERE IS NO SUCH SITUATION WHERE THE OPPONENT IS STILL CONSCIOUS AFTER RECEIVING THIS HIT.
That hurts, why did you hit me?
JET LI, JACKIE CHAN, DONNIE YEN AND WU JING STRIKE THEIR OPPONENTS' NECK WITH THIS CLASSIC KNIFE-HAND STRIKE, RENDERING THEM UNCONSCIOUS BEFORE THEY CAN UTTER A SOUND...
砰!
砰!
砰!
嘭!

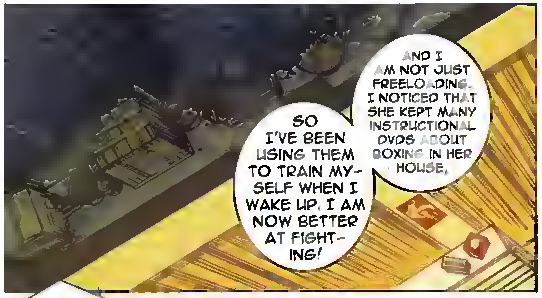
KILL HER ...
WHAT ARE YOU WAITING FOR?
There is some money... Cheques. And gold accessories in the cupboard... just take it...
SHE THINKS I'M A THIEF.....
KILL HER!
WHY ARE YOU STILL NOT MOVING?
TO KNOCK SOMEONE OUT IS NOT AS EASY AS I THOUGHT.... I'VE KICKED HER UNTIL HER FACE IS SWOLLEN, YET SHE STILL ISN'T OUT COLD.
Ha
Ha
THANK GOD THIS WOMAN LIVES ALONE.
Please... spare m...
SHE'S NOT DEAD. I MUST KILL HER TO COMPLETE MY TASK!

DAMN YOU! I'M NOT A PETTY THIEF – I AM A KILLER!
I AM A KILLER!
THIEVES SNEAK AROUND, THEY WOULDN'T BE AS VIOLENT AS ME!
SHOT!
嗖

THE LAST TIME I KILLED, IT WAS A COMPLETE ACCIDENT DUE TO DESPERATION. BUT THIS TIME, I AM INTENTIONALLY, VIOLENTLY ASSAULTING THIS WOMAN I HAVE NEVER MET BEFORE!
HER NOSE WAS BROKEN, HER LIPS WERE CRACKED, AND HER EYES WERE CRUSHED!
THE WOMAN WAS BEATEN VERY BADLY.

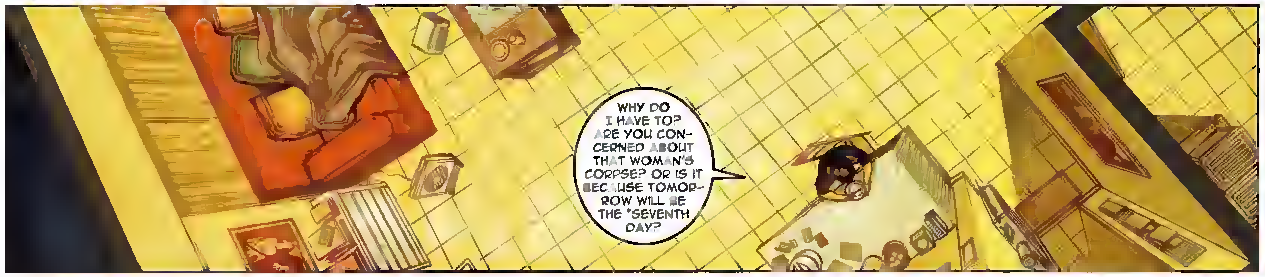
SHE IS NOW DEAD, BEYOND DEAD.
I'VE COMPLETED THE FIRST TASK. I'VE KILLED A PERSON!
BUT WHY DO I STILL FEEL UNSATISFIED? I DON'T FEEL LIKE A KILLER, BUT MORE LIKE A BUTCHER!
THAT ASIDE, I HAVE KILLED THIS WOMAN ANYWAY.
THAT PATHETIC GUY NAMED CHANG YE WILL MOST LIKELY FEEL GUILTY OVER BEATING AN INNOCENT WOMAN TO DEATH...
BUT MR. NEVER-DIE IS NOT SUPPOSED TO HAVE ANY OF THESE FEELINGS...

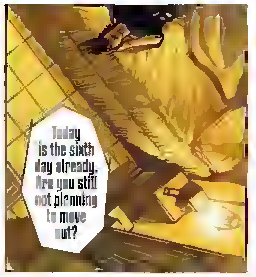
I AM A KILLER
I AM A PROFESSIONAL KILLER AND FROM NOW ON, THERE'S NO TURNING BACK.

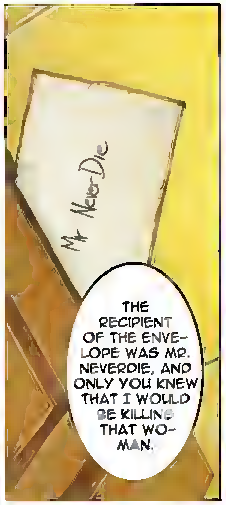

SO I'VE BEEN USING THEM TO TRAIN MYSELF WHEN I WAKE UP. I AM NOW BETTER AT FIGHTING!
AND I AM NOT JUST FREELOADING. I NOTICED THAT SHE KEPT MANY INSTRUCTIONAL DVDS ABOUT BOXING IN HER HOUSE.

YOU KNOW THAT I AM A HOMELESS NOBODY AND, SINCE THIS WOMAN LIVES ALONE, I JUST TOOK THE OPPORTUNITY TO STAY FOR A BIT. WHAT'S SO WRONG ABOUT IT?
Why are you still in that woman's house after killing her? Are you an idiot?
HELLO

*T/N: 海虎 (Haihu, or Sea Tiger) is a Chinese Manhwa. For more information: http://www.mangaeden.com/en-manga/sea-tiger/



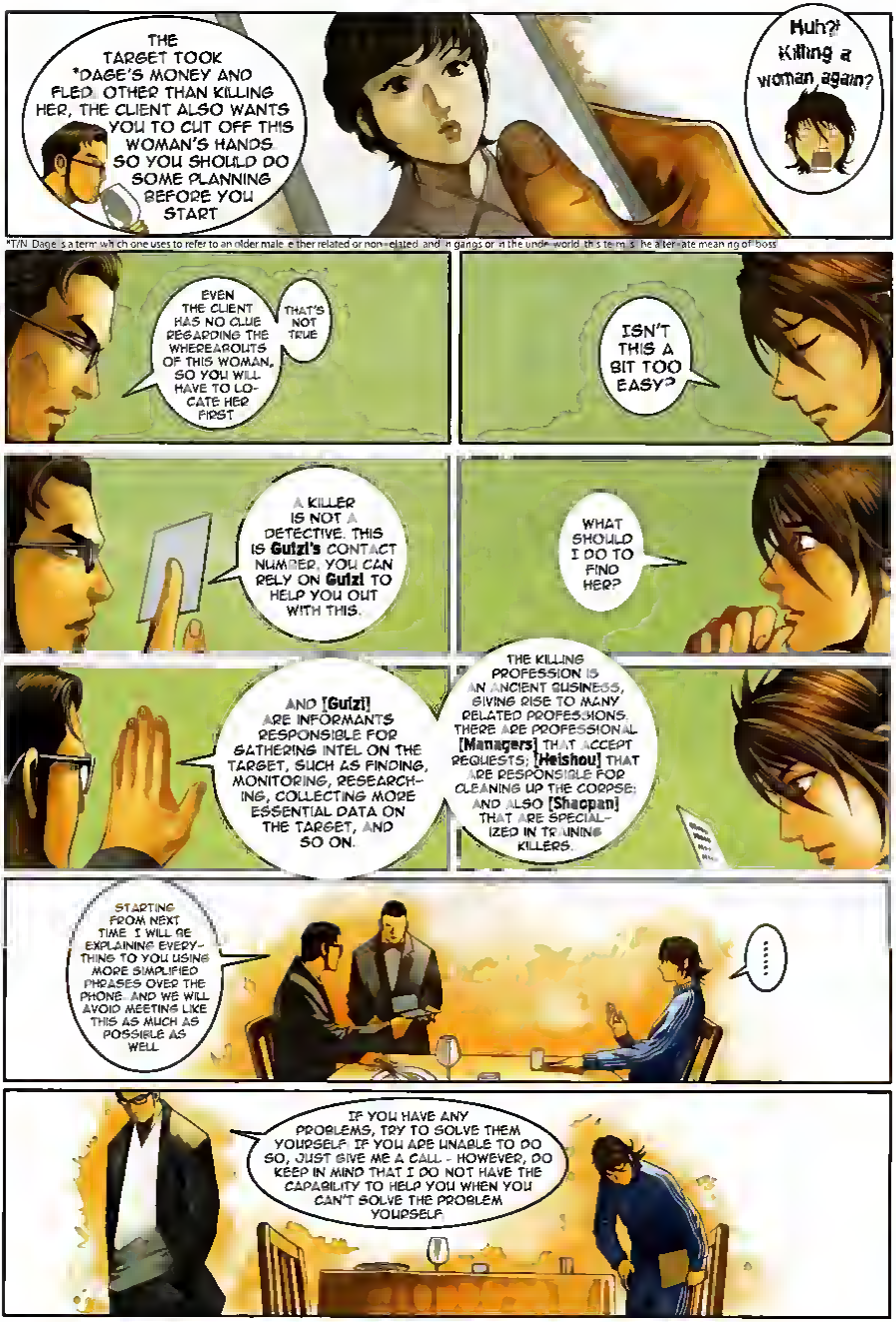




Nine days later, at Death God Restaurant

YOU LOOK WELL.
WHAT IS THE MEANING OF THIS?
WHENEVER A KILLER COMPLETES A TASK, THAT PERSON RECEIVES A NOVEL CALLED INSURANCE.
EVERYONE CAN READ AND DISCUSS IT. SOME FELLOW KILLERS EVEN EXCHANGE IT WITH EACH OTHER TO READ. IT'S LIKE A NOVEL THAT ALL KILLERS READ
HOWEVER, THE AUTHOR OF THE NOVEL ITSELF IS UNKNOWN AND NO ONE KNOWS THE FACE OF THE POSTMAN WHO DELIVERS THE LETTERS. THE PURPOSE OF THESE LETTERS OR THE DELIVERY METHOD
HOW UNUSUAL... NOVELS THAT ALL KILLERS WILL READ?
AND ONLY KILLERS WILL RECEIVE THIS KIND OF EXTRA PAYMENT

YOU ARE NOW AN OFFICIAL KILLER. SO YOU MUST ALWAYS MAKE SURE THAT YOU REMEMBER the Three Greet Lews AND the Three Great Morals OF THE
First of the three Great Laws... never fall in love with the target or the client
Second... Do not reveal the identity of the client,unless the client plans to kill you.
And Third... Always keep in mind that when you're off work, you are not a killer. You must remember this even when you're drunk, dreaming or making love.
First of the three Great Morals... killing is not that fun, nor is it a correct way to earn money, hence, you must not attempt to steal other fellow killers' businesses.
Secondly... if your loved ones are killed, you are not allowed to take revenge or force the opposition to reveal the client's identity.
And Third... Always remain positive and never tell yourself that this is the last time.
HERE ARE THE DETAILS CONCERNING YOUR NEXT TARGET. ALL THE INFORMATION IS ENCLOSED WITHIN.


THE TARGET TOOK *DAGE'S MONEY AND FLED. OTHER THAN KILLING HER, THE CLIENT ALSO WANTS YOU TO CUT OFF THIS WOMAN'S HANDS SO YOU SHOULD DO SOME PLANNING BEFORE YOU START
Huh?! Killing a woman again?
*T/N: Dage is a term which one uses to refer to an older male either related or non-related, and in gangs or in the underworld, this term is the alternate meaning of 'boss'
EVEN THE CLIENT HAS NO CLUE REGARDING THE WHEREABOUTS OF THIS WOMAN, SO YOU WILL HAVE TO LOCATE HER FIRST
THAT'S NOT TRUE
ISN'T THIS A BIT TOO EASY?
A KILLER IS NOT A DETECTIVE. THIS IS Gulzi's CONTACT NUMBER. YOU CAN RELY ON Gulzi TO HELP YOU OUT WITH THIS.
WHAT SHOULD I DO TO FIND HER?
AND [Gulzi] ARE INFORMANTS RESPONSIBLE FOR GATHERING INTEL ON THE TARGET, SUCH AS FINDING, MONITORING, RESEARCHING, COLLECTING MORE ESSENTIAL DATA ON THE TARGET, AND SO ON.
THE KILLING PROFESSION IS AN ANCIENT BUSINESS, GIVING RISE TO MANY RELATED PROFESSIONS. THERE ARE PROFESSIONAL [Managers] THAT ACCEPT REQUESTS; [Heishou] THAT ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR CLEANING UP THE CORPSE; AND ALSO [Shaopan] THAT ARE SPECIALIZED IN TRAINING KILLERS.
STARTING FROM NEXT TIME I WILL BE EXPLAINING EVERYTHING TO YOU USING MORE SIMPLIFIED PHRASES OVER THE PHONE. AND WE WILL AVOID MEETING LIKE THIS AS MUCH AS POSSIBLE AS WELL
.....
IF YOU HAVE ANY PROBLEMS, TRY TO SOLVE THEM YOURSELF. IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO DO SO, JUST GIVE ME A CALL - HOWEVER, DO KEEP IN MIND THAT I DO NOT HAVE THE CAPABILITY TO HELP YOU WHEN YOU CAN'T SOLVE THE PROBLEM YOURSELF.

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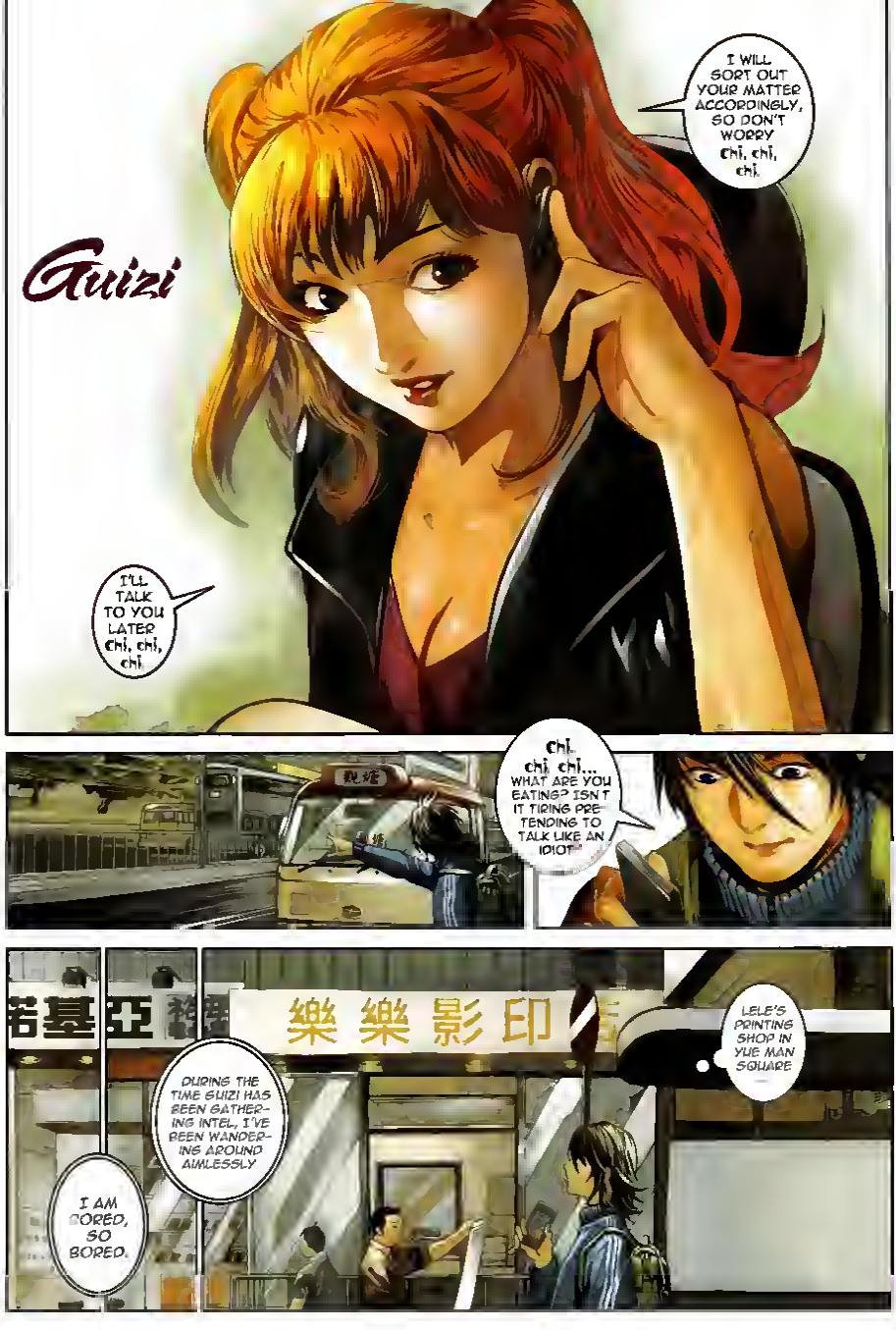
THAT IS THE KEY TO THE MAIL BOX
THERE WILL BE NO PRACTICES ANYMORE. YOU WILL BE DOING THIS ALONE FROM NOW ON.
WAIT-ING?
REALITY IS NOT AS INTERESTING OR EXCITING AS NOVELS. THOSE WHO ARE IN OUR LINE OF WORK SPENT MOST OF THEIR TIME - WAITING.
THEN, WHEN CAN I KILL A STRONGER TARGET?
DETAILED INFORMATION ABOUT THE TARGET, ALONG WITH THE CLIENT'S SPECIAL REQUESTS, WILL BE ENCLOSED IN AN ENVELOPE LIKE THE ONE I'VE BROUGHT TODAY, AND IT WILL BE STORED IN THE MAIL BOX.
OF COURSE, THE PAYMENT FOR THE REQUEST WILL ALSO BE ATTACHED WITHIN. YOU WILL RECEIVE A DEPOSIT FIRST TO AID YOU IN YOUR JOB, THEN THE REST OF THE PAYMENT INSIDE THE MAIL BOX A FEW DAYS AFTER THE COMPLETION OF THE JOB.

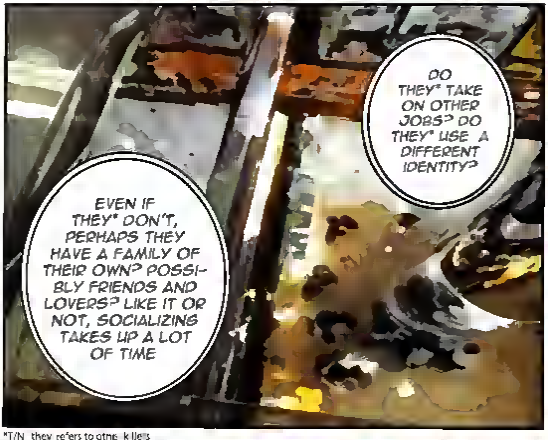
Why is it a girl again?
ARE YOU GUIZI?
"chi, chi, chi.
*T/N: The word 'chi' means 'eat' in Chinese
WHEN THERE'S SOMETHING I WANT TO DO, I WILL NOT WAIT EVEN FOR A SECOND FOR IT.
I AM AN IM-PATIENT PERSON.
chi, chi, chi, JUST TAKE ALL YOUR INFOR-MATION TO THE LELE PHOTOCOPIER SHOP IN KWUN TONG DISTRICT, YUE MAN SQUARE
I AM ZOU GE'S NEW-EST RECRUIT - MR NEVERDIE. HOW SHOULD I TRANSFER THE INFORMATION TO YOU?
chi, chi, chi, YUP!

I'll decide after reviewing the details, chi, chi, chi
SEVERED DRAGON COMPLETE.**
YOU DON'T HAVE TO TALK TO OR ANSWER ANYONE AS LONG AS YOU PUT THE INFORMATION UNDER THE FIRST PRINTING MACHINE NEAREST THE ENTRANCE, IT WILL BE FINE. chi, chi, chi.
LAST TILE FROM THE WALL*
HOW MUCH SHOULD I PAY YOU?
3 3 3
chi, chi, chi!
!
What did you win?
AND I WON ALL OF THEM, chi, chi, chi.
YOU'RE SHARP!
I WAS PLAYING AGAINST 3 OPPONENTS AT THE SAME TIME JUST NOW.

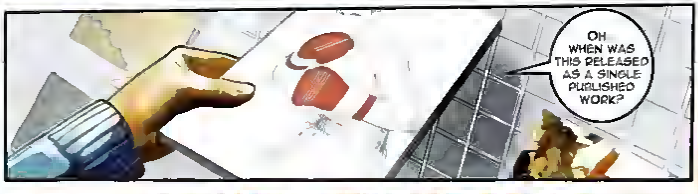
*T/N: This is a Taiwanese game Ma Jiang

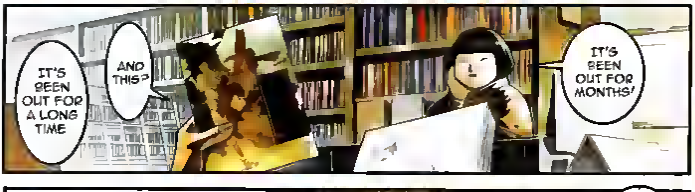
**T/N: It's a variation of a card game call Sevens. This winning not ce is when suit enters his part of sequence (eg. Spade 7 to K) the first player to end the sequence but has any remaining cards of the same suit (spade A-6) gets extra winnings for every card


Guizi
I WILL SORT OUT YOUR MATTER ACCORDINGLY, SO DON'T WORRY chi, chi, chi.
I'LL TALK TO YOU LATER chi, chi, chi.
chi, chi, chi... WHAT ARE YOU EATING? ISN'T IT TIRING PRETENDING TO TALK LIKE AN IDIOT?
樂樂影印
LELE'S PRINTING SHOP IN YUE MAN SQUARE
DURING THE TIME GUIZI HAS BEEN GATHERING INTEL, I'VE BEEN WANDERING AROUND AIMLESSLY
I AM BORED, SO BORED.


DO THEY* TAKE ON OTHER JOBS? DO THEY* USE A DIFFERENT IDENTITY?
EVEN IF THEY* DON'T, PERHAPS THEY HAVE A FAMILY OF THEIR OWN? POSSIBLY FRIENDS AND LOVERS? LIKE IT OR NOT, SOCIALIZING TAKES UP A LOT OF TIME

*T/N they refers to other killers





MY TARGETS ARE...
BUT THESE ARE NOT MY TARGETS.
THIS DINOSAUR WOMAN SEEMS TO BE DISPLEASED..
SO AFTER ALL THOSE QUESTIONS, HE ONLY PICKED THE OLD BOOKS!
I WILL KILL YOU, YOU UNDERSTAND?
!
JUST JOKING!
.....
.....

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ONE AGAINST A HUNDRED
JD COMICS
!!
ONE PERSON AGAINST A HUNDRED. THIS IS SUCH AN EXAGGERATION
IS THERE ANYONE IN REALITY WHO CAN DO THIS?
!!
.....
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HEY! WHAT ARE YOU LOOKING AT?
EIGHT IN TOTAL
FUCK OFF
I TOLD YOU TO FUCK OFF!
THESE EIGHT PEOPLE AREN'T ENOUGH... NEVER MIND. THEY WILL DO. I'LL JUST TREAT THIS AS PRACTICE
1
2
3
4
5
6
7
8

ALL OF YOU, BRING IT ON!
DON'T WORRY, I WON'T KILL YOU GUYS. IT'S UNPROFESSIONAL OF ME TO KILL WITHOUT RECEIVING PAYMENT FOR IT ANYWAYS

IT'S NOT ANYTHING SPECIAL FOR A GROUP OF PEOPLE TO ATTACK A SINGLE TARGET I EXPERIENCED IT ONLY A FEW DAYS AGO BUT THIS TIME IT'S DIFFERENT, SINCE I'M THE ONE WHO INITIATED THE ATTACK!
AMIDST MY FLUST-ERED DODGING AND ATTACKING, I'VE QUICKLY FOR-GOTTEN ABOUT THE KARATE STANCE...
猛
猛
砰!
猛
猛
TRYING A SNEAK ATTACK ON ME? EAT THIS!
SO MUCH FOR THE INSTRUC-TIONAL DVDS!
MIDDLE AREA PUNCH?* PALM HEEL?* KNIFE HAND?* HIGH KNEE KICK?* SIDE KICK?*

*T/N: Information taken from http://entertainment.howstuffworks.com/karate2.htm

EVERY PUNCH AND KICK ONLY REVERTS MY HARD LEARNED FIGHTING STYLES BACK TO BRAWLING!
Uh
THIS CRAZY GAS-TARD IS STRONG
Ahh
Grr

.....
NOT BAD.
I'll give it to you!
YES
HEY
IT'S JAY CHOU. JUST MY TASTE
Videos
Photos
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Settings
Shuffle Songs
Now Playing
STOP, STOP IT, HERO!
WHA

MAKE SURE TO BRING THE CHARGER ALONG TOMORROW...
DON'T YOU FOR-GET.
O... OKAY ...

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